

Santa Claus in window  
each day at 3:30.



Store Hours:  
8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

11 Shopping Days Till Xmas

## In The Jewelry Section Are Many Sparkling Gifts

Little Novelties, Attractive and Pretty, Yet Inexpensive Presents.



Little conceits and novelties that a girl admires—

A holiday showing in Brooches, Pins and Necklaces, that fairly gleam as gift suggestions.

**White Ivory Clocks**, 2½ inch dial, suitable for dresser—in neat box. Keep accurate time, **1.00.**

**Ribbon Soutoise**, with either pendant or monacle on end, **50c, 1.50.**

**Novelty Pendants**—with long chain, **3.00 to 5.00.**

**Bar Pins**—with set or plain, English finish and engraved, **25c to 1.50.**

**Gents' Cuff Buttons**—in plated and gold filled designs, **25c, 50c, 1.00.**

**Collar Pins**—12K gold plate—in neat leather box—fancy and plain, **50c.**

**Locket**, plain or fancy, 50c—gold filled, **1.50 to 3.50.**

**Infants' Rings**—gold filled at **1.00.**

**Novelty Scarf Pins**—in plain or fancy sets and engravings, **50c to 2.50.**

Special Collar Pins 19c in fancy enameled design, with gold banded—regular 25c. Holiday Special 19c.

## In Toyland—Tomorrow

Santa has arranged to have his moving picture machines running, and also his steam engines—tomorrow afternoon.

Bring the children to see these devices—really running.

## Dainty Aprons For Xmas Gifts

Neatly Folded in Xmas Boxes—Very Pretty Presents.

A dainty, prettily trimmed sewing apron is always an appreciated remembrance.

### At 25c

Round or square aprons of dotted mull, with embroidery trimming.

Also pretty, soft lawns, with lace or ribbon trim.

Then there are other lawns, embroidered in fancy designs, some with scalloped edge.

Still other lawn aprons with torchon lace trim and embroidery corners.

All selling at 25c.

### —at 50c

Fancy lawn apron—with Dresden borders—lace and ribbon trimmed.

Also sewing bag and apron combined—lace and ribbon trim.

Then in Swiss we show little round or square shaped—with lace or color ribbon trim.

Aprons in princess style with bibs—embroidery trimmed.

All selling at 50c and 75c.

### Handkerchief Special—39c.

Six Initial Handkerchiefs in pretty box—39c

*Kewpie says—* —a 1.00 Doll Sale

## Friday—Saturday

Jointed head and arms, short bobbed or long hair, in sewed natural wigs, prettily dressed—pretty shoes and stockings.

Friday **1.00** Saturday

Famous Floradora Kid Dolls and few Kestner Character Dolls, included in sale—also 11 inch stuffed Kewpies—all dolls jointed. Sale to be, through Friday and Saturday.

1.00

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Dolls—Second Floor



## LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

I am nine years old and I go to school and I am in 3A. I got 100 in spelling yesterday. I will tell you what I want. A beebie gun and a pair of boots. That is all I want for this time. So good-bye, Santa Claus. Oh, but bring papa and mamma a lot of nice things. I live on Fifth st. in Mishawaka.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy nine years old. I go to school every day. I want a train that runs on a track, and a flexible flyer sled, and some new waists. Don't forget mamma and papa. Lots of nuts and candy. That will be all. Your friend,  
Philip B. Wharton,  
408 Wegner st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little girl seven years old and I would like to have a doll sewing machine, and some dishes. From your little friend,  
Evelyn Ellsasser.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am only three years old and can't write, so my sister will write for me. I want a doll, a baby cart, and a cupboard.  
Harriet Ellsasser,  
Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy four years old. I can't write, but I know what I want. A bass drum, a wagon, and a Christmas tree, and a big candy cane on it. Your little Gordon Ellsasser.  
Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a boy nine years old and I would like to have you remember me this year, as you did last year. I would like a foot ball, and a shirt, and some ties. Your little friend,  
Harold Ellsasser,  
Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am writing this for little Bernice. She would like you to bring some scissors, a doll head, some new doll clothes, and a tablet. She wants oranges, candy and nuts Christmas eve. From a little friend,  
Bernice Kilbey,  
Fifth st., Mishawaka.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy four years old. I would like for you to bring me a street car with a track, a little grain elevator, a little drum and a blackboard. Bring my little brother, Wilbur, who is nearly two years old, something nice, too. Bring papa and mamma something, and do not forget any of the little children. I live at City Gardens. Be sure and not forget us. With love,  
Forrest Ross West,  
Mishawaka, Ind., Dec. 9, 1913.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little girl eight years old, and go to St. Joseph's school. And now I will tell you what I want for Xmas. A set of furs, dress, hair ribbon, box of handkerchiefs, some nuts and candy. I think this will be all. Please remember papa and mamma. Your loving child,  
Josephine Waletzko,  
N. Church st.



Dear Santa Claus:—  
Baby wants a doll baby and a story book.  
Genevieve Kneppes,  
1151 Donald st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am so sorry that I have to bother you this year. We have so much sickness. Rudy would like to have a writing desk and a sled. Irene would like to have a bed two feet in length. Arnold would like a horn, train. My sister was sick of diphtheria and my brother was too of scarlet fever. Our home is on N. Adams st., 1034.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I want a magic lantern, a pair of cowboy gloves, a watch with a fob, a story book, a flying airship, and some candy and nuts, and that is all. Good-bye, Santa.  
Arthur Thompson,  
239 N. Studebaker st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I want a train and track, cowboy gloves, cork gun and a necktie. Don't forget my papa, mamma and teacher. Yours truly,  
Raymond Thompson,  
239 N. Studebaker st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy. I go to school every day. My name is David Rupert. I am eight years old, and I am going to tell you what I want, dear Santa. I want a drum, a clown riding a donkey, an engine, and some cars and a track to run them on, and a motorcycle, and a man on it, some nuts and candy, and a horn. I have no papa who cares for us. He gives all his money to other children. So please, Santa, look after your little friend.  
David Rupert,  
425 N. Arthur st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy going on six years old and am going to kindergarten every day and I am going to tell you what I want. I want a nice horse to hitch up to a wagon, and a horn, and a pop gun, and jack-in-the-box, and some story books, and an automobile that when you wind it up that it will run, some nuts and candy. Our papa never comes to see us, dear

Santa, so you come and see us. I am your little Master Joseph Rupert.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I want a drum, and I want a clown, and a butterfly running on wheels, and a doll, and jack-in-the-box, and a train and some tracks, and a horn, some nuts and candy. Dear Santa, do come up and see us, your little friends. We want something so bad for Christmas. I am a little boy not four years old, and I do want you to come. My name is William Rupert, 425 N. Arthur st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy seven years old, and go to St. Joseph's school. I would like to have a policeman suit, boy scout, drum, blackboard, paints, colored crayons, train on track, candy and nuts, and a tree, and please don't forget papa and mamma. My name is William Tex Bush, 302 W. Lincoln Highway, Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
As it nears Christmas, so I thought I would write you a letter and let you know what I would like for Christmas. I go to kindergarten every day and I am five years old. I would like a doll cradle, and set of dishes, a bath tub for my doll, colored crayons, water colors, a doll, a pair of shoes, candy and nuts, and anything you want to bring. Don't forget my brother William wants a fire department or fire truck. My address is Catherine Tex Bush, 302 W. Lincoln Highway, Mishawaka, Ind.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
We are two boys, ten and 12 years old, and we thought we would write to you to let you know what we want for Christmas. I want an American model builder, a watch chain and my brother wants a watch chain and a foot ball and a tent to put up in our back yard next summer. That is all for this Christmas, so good-bye. Do not forget my mamma and papa. From Raymond and Harold Schock,  
206 N. Studebaker st.

Mishawaka, Ind., Dec. 5, 1913.  
Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little girl six years old. I go to St. Joseph's school. For Christmas I want some tablets and pencils, and a new set of furs, and some candy and nuts, and a story book, and a Xmas tree. Don't forget my mamma and papa, and my sister, and Aunt Amanda, and my teacher in school. Your loving friend,  
Esther Sauber, 214 Baker st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I go to school every day. For Xmas I would like to have a moving picture machine and a drum. That is all for this time. Your truly,  
George Morehouse.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I go to school every day. For Xmas I would like to have a drum, sled, little candy and nuts. Yours truly,  
Jay M. Mead,  
518 E. Sample st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a little boy three years old. I am naughty sometimes, but I will be good now. I would like to have a doll like them to play with very much, and I want a big Teddy bear, horn, blackboard, engine and track, oranges, apples, nuts, candy and Christmas tree. Bring my little brother Clarence a small doll and bear, because he will want mine.

Ball, dog, A B C blocks. He is one year old. Good-bye, dear old Santa. Don't forget.  
Claudie McWilliams,  
321 N. Kaley st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I want a bat and a ball, set of dishes, and a train that will run on a track and some switch tracks, tele race, cart, street car, play store, cash, horse race, dolls' clothes line, steamboat, little auto, and a rake, hoe, and I guess that will be all. But don't forget my twin brother Marvin.  
Myron Jackson,  
2121 S. Michigan st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am a girl seven years old, and go to school every day. Please, Santa Claus, I want a writing desk, a set of brown furs, a story book, a pair of shoes for my doll, size 7; two new white aprons, hair ribbons, nuts, candy and a tree. Good-bye.  
Marguerite Koster,  
430 N. Allen st.

Mishawaka, Ind., Dec. 8, 1913.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I thought I would write and let you know what I want for Xmas. I want a big dollie that goes to sleep, and a big writing desk with chairs and drawers in it, gold cross and chain, and doll bed, and some candy and nuts, and oranges. Please don't forget Willie and Charles. Willie wants a gun, Charlie wants a horn, drum. Santa, I will tell you what my name and address is. Please don't forget my Xmas tree.  
Genevieve Andrews,  
218 E. Eighth st.

Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am eight years old and go to school every day. This is my first letter to you. Please bring me a football, ship, a set of soldiers and a little sewing machine. I am in the third grade, R. R. No. 3.  
Raymond Feunshlizer.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 6, 1913.  
Dear Santa Claus:—  
I am eight years old and go to school every day. This is my first letter to you. Please bring me a football, ship, a set of soldiers and a little sewing machine. I am in the third grade, R. R. No. 3.  
Raymond Feunshlizer.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 6, 1913.  
Dear Santa:—  
I am a little girl two years old. For Christmas I would like you to bring me a set of dishes, a character doll and a man in an automobile, and some nuts and candy. Your little friend,  
Marguerite Meiner.

## INDIANA BRIEFS.

**SEYMOUR**—Louise Eggersman, 30 years old, believing she was taking a dose of medicine, swallowed a teaspoonful of carbolic acid and died 30 minutes afterward. The two bottles containing the medicine and the acid were of the same size and on the same shelf. Neither was labelled.

**COLUMBUS**—Seventeen persons, ranging in ages from 16 years up, were immersed in Haw creek during the snowstorm yesterday. The baptism services were performed by Rev. H. S. Reynolds of the East Columbus M. E. church. There were 29 to be baptized, but 12 were sprinkled.

## THE BIG XMAS STORE

### Open Evenings Until Christmas

A PAIR OF SHOES OR SLIPPERS AS A PRACTICAL GIFT



**Men's Gift Slippers**  
Black and tan Everett and Opera shapes, in many different styles of trimming; flexible soles; unusually good ones, at ..... **98c**

**Men's and Boys' Hi-Cut Shoes**, \$3 values ... **\$1.98**

**Evening Slippers.**  
**Satin Slippers** in all shades to match any gown, also the Kidney heel, in black, the usual \$3.00 kind, at ..... **\$1.98**

**Women's Leather Boudoir Slippers**, in all colors, special at ..... **49c**

**Men's Tan or Black Leather Romeo Slippers** ..... **98c**

**Men's Tan or Black Slippers**, special at ..... **39c**



**Women's Gift Slippers**  
In black, brown, green, grey or red; the usual \$1.50 kind ..... **98c**

**Men's and Women's Bath Slippers**, 75c values ..... **59c**

**Children's Rubber Boots** **\$1.23**

**G. R. KINNEY & CO.**  
116-122 EAST WAYNE STREET.

Those who were immersed walked half a mile home in their wet clothes.

**RICHMOND**—John Barret, aged 39, was killed at the stone quarries near here when several pounds of dynamite exploded. He is supposed to have entered the storehouse and stepped on a percussion cap. Barret's body was blown to pieces.

**WARSAW**—The Yellow Oaks hotel at Webster lake near here burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at \$20,000. The building caught fire from a defective flue and was a mass of flames before the fire was discovered.

**CONNEERSVILLE**—Harry Brown, a blind broom maker, is sick at his home since the disappearance of his dog, Shep, who has led his sightless master about the city for years. Brown whipped the dog mildly for attack-

ing unoffending dogs and chasing cats and since has not been able to find the animal. Brown cannot get about without the dog.

**GARY**—Residents of the sixth ward here held an indignation meeting to consider the advisability of demanding the revocation of the franchise of the Gary and Interurban Railway Co. The residents declare the lack of service is intolerable and will probably petition the council and the state public service commission.

## RUMELY FACTORY TO RESUME OPERATIONS

Special to the News-Times.  
**LAPORTE**, Ind., Dec. 11.—Members of the executive offices of the M. Rumely Co., including Mgr. Robinson of the sales department, were here from Chicago Wednesday, and as a

result of their visit, it became known that the Rumely plant, including the oil pull and the separator factory in this city and the factories in Battle Creek, Mich., and Richmond, Ind., will resume operations as early in January as the necessary material can be purchased and shipped here. The material is now being purchased in preparation for the resumption of operations.

Although it is not stated definitely how many men will be put on at that time, the understanding is that within 60 days 1,000 men will be employed in the two plants in Laporte with larger forces in the plants at Battle Creek and Richmond.

Closing out sale of unredeemed pledges. Diamonds, watches and jewelry at Frank's Loan Bank, 321 S. Michigan st. Adv.

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